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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

**STANFORD HOSPITAL & CLINICS and  
LUCILE PACKARD CHILDREN'S  
HOSPITAL**

**Petitioners,**

**v.**

**SERVICE EMPLOYEES  
INTERNATIONAL UNION, LOCAL 715**

**Respondent.**

**Case No: C-07-5158-MMC**

**OPPOSITION TO  
ADMINISTRATIVE MOTIONS TO  
CONSIDER WHETHER CASES  
SHOULD BE RELATED**

**[CIVIL L.R. 3-12 & 7-11]**

**Judge: Hon. Maxine M. Chesney**

On January 18, 2008, Respondent Service Employees International Union, Local 715 ("Local 715") filed three (3) motions in the above-captioned case each titled Administrative Motion To Consider Whether Cases Should Be Related (the "Related Case Motions"). The Related Case Motions seek an order from this Court relating this case to three later-filed cases designated C-08-0213 EMC, C-08-0215 JCS, and C-08-0216 JL. Local 715 had filed similar motions in case numbers C-08-0213 EMC, C-08-0215 JCS, and C-08-0216 JL on January 11, 2008. Although Stanford Hospital & Clinics and Lucile Packard Children's Hospital (the "Hospitals") are named as respondents in the three newly-filed cases, to date, they have not been

1 served with summons and have not made an appearance in those cases.

2 As the Northern District's Civil Local Rules call for related case motions to be filed in  
3 the earliest-filed case, the Hospitals filed an opposition and proposed order in this case on  
4 January 16, 2008 (Docket Nos 17 & 18.) The Hospitals rely upon their January 16, 2006  
5 Opposition to oppose Local 715's January 18, 2008 Related Case Motions.

6 For the reasons stated in their January 16, 2006 Opposition, Petitioners Stanford Hospital  
7 & Clinics and Lucile Packard Children's Hospitals respectfully submit that the Motions To  
8 Consider Whether Cases Should Be Related should be DENIED.

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10 Dated: January 18, 2008

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